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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This amendment is filed in response to the office action mailed May 19, 2004, and is accompanied by a Declaration of Susan Pope Under 37 C.F.R. §1.132 and by the fee required for a two-month extension of the response period for a large entity. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections of record are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below. No additional fee is believed to be required for filing this amendment.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks / Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including Exhibits A and B is attached following page 9 of this paper. Exhibit A comprises photocopies of pages from the Condensed Chemical Dictionary, Fourteenth Edition. Exhibit B comprises a copy of the Declaration of Susan Pope Under 37 C.F.R. §1.132.